First Minister Seamus Mallon of the Northern Ireland Assembly in Room 106 of the Parliament Building.

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Omagh, Northern Ireland. In the evening, they participated in a wreath-laying ceremony on Market Street. Later, they traveled to Armagh, Northern Ireland, and then to Dublin, Ireland.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joseph Swerdzewski to be General Counsel at the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

The President announced his intention to nominate Anita K. Jones, Pamela A. Ferguson, and Robert C. Richardson to be members of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation.

September 4

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Shannon, Ireland.

The President declared a major disaster in South Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Bonnie on August 25–September 1.

The President declared a major disaster in Virginia and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Bonnie on August 25–September 1.

The President declared a major disaster in Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Earl on September 3.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted August 31

Peter J. Basso, Jr.,

of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, vice Louise Frankel Stoll, resigned.

H. Dean Buttram, Jr.,

of Alabama, to be U.S. District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama, vice Robert B. Propst, retired.

Inge Prytz Johnson,

of Alabama, to be U.S. District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama, vice James H. Hancock, retired.

Submitted September 2

Robert Bruce Green,

of Oklahoma, to be U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Oklahoma for the term of 4 years, vice John W. Raley, Jr., retired.

Mary A. Ryan,

of Texas, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Career Minister, for the personal rank of Career Ambassador in recognition of especially distinguished service over a sustained period.

Submitted September 3

Pamela A. Ferguson,

of Iowa, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation, for a term expiring May 10, 2004, vice Shirley Mahaley Malcom, term expired.

Anita K. Jones,

of Virginia, to be a member of the National Science Board, Nation Science Foundation, for a term expiring May 10, 2004, vice F. Albert Cotton, term expired.

Robert C. Richardson.

of New York, to be a member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation, for a term expiring May 10, 2004, vice James L. Powell, term expired.

Joseph Swerdzewski,

of Colorado, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority for a term of 5 years (reappointment).

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released August 29

Statement by the Press Secretary on the Northwest Airlines pilots strike

Announcement: Official Delegation to Russia

Released August 31

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry, National Security Adviser Samuel Berger, and National Economic Council Director Gene Sperling on the President's upcoming visit to Russia

Announcement of nominations for U.S. District Judges for the Northern District of Alabama

Released September 1

Transcript of a press briefing by Special Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs Robert Bell, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Strategy and Threat Reduction) Ted Warner, NSC Senior Director for Non-proliferation Gary Samore, and Director of Policy and Regional Affairs for Russia and the New Independent States Debra Cagan on the President's visit to Russia

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry, Deputy Secretary of State Strobe Talbott, Deputy Treasury Secretary Larry Summers, National Economic Council Director Gene Sperling, and Senator Pete Domenici on the President's visit to Russia

Fact sheet: Plutonium Disposition Statement Fact sheet: Joint Statement on the Exchange of Information on Missile Launches and Early Warning

Released September 2

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy National Security Adviser Jim Steinberg and Press Secretary Mike McCurry on the President's visit to Russia

Fact sheet: U.S.-Russian Export Control Cooperation

Announcement of nomination for U.S. Attorney for the Eastern District of Oklahoma

Released September 3

Transcript of a press readout by Press Secretary Mike McCurry

Transcript of a press briefing by Deputy National Security Adviser Jim Steinberg on the President's visit to Northern Ireland

Statement by the Press Secretary: Rwanda Tribunal Verdict

Statement by the Press Secretary on the President's decision to send Special Middle East Coordinator Ambassador Dennis Ross back to the region

Text of the Plaque Presented to the People of Omagh

Released September 4

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Mike McCurry and Deputy National Security Adviser Jim Steinberg on the President's visit to Ireland

Acts Approved by the President

NOTE: No acts approved by the President were received by the Office of the Federal Register during the period covered by this issue.